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In Re Application of:

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For: NONVOLATILE SEMICONDUCTOR
MEMORY DEVICE AND NONVOLATILE
SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed April 25, 2003 (paper no. 4). Applicants respectfully request that the above-identified application be amended as set forth herein, and that this application be reconsidered and allowed based on the following remarks.

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